

# PUBLIC DAILY LEDGER



MAYSVILLE, KY., SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1910.

ONE COPY—ONE CENT.



## HAPPIEST MAN.

The happiest man that ever walked  
The world of Christmas cheer,  
When swiftly day by day the hour  
Of sovereign joy drew near  
Was he who bore unto some heart  
In loneliness and strife  
The bubble of a tender word  
To heal the blow of life.

Home-made candy 10c at Driscoll's,  
East Third street.

Full line of Christmas Cards at Arm-  
strong's Drugstore.

Fine apple and peach brandies and all  
kinds of fine wines at Fisher & Eitel's, 10  
West Second street.

Picture Frames, Postal Albums, Mani-  
cure Sets, Shaving Sets, Toilet Cases, and all  
holiday goods at cost, at Hoeft's.



## SANTA CLAUS

Is the best judge for coal, and he  
knows a good thing when he sees it,  
and the people of Maysville know a  
good thing when they try it. "The  
proof of the pudding is in eating it."  
That is the reason that our patrons  
never swerve from our yard when  
wanting to lay in their supply of coal.  
There is nothing to risk, for our coal  
is standard in quality and low in price.

**MAYSVILLE COAL CO.**

PHONE 112.

## Merry Christmas to You

Keep your Christmas merrily and mus-  
cle and heart and hope and cheer, first  
for your own home, your own fireside,  
your nearest, your dearest, your sweet-  
est, and then comes the homeless, the  
fireless, the unloved, the unheeded; and  
be true—the last "Merry Christ-  
mas" that crosses your lips.

Tom and Jerry and Egg nog every day  
at Owens' Place, Market and Front. Free  
lunch.

Neckwear, Gloves, Ribbons, largest  
stock, at Hoeft's.

The Rural Mail Carriers will make their  
usual delivery Monday next.

All Bottled in Bond Whisky \$1 per  
quart at Fisher & Eitel's, 10 E Second street.

Mr. J. L. Brough of Helena has sold and  
delivered to L. T. Anderson of Point-on-View  
Stock Farm four fine Durco Jersey hogs, for  
breeding purposes.

## HELLO! HELLO!

Call at Conklin Sisters for Xmas Tree Deco-  
rations and a full line of the cheapest Toys  
in town.

## PINCHED

Edward White, janitor at the First National  
Bank, and heretofore a well-respected colored  
man, was arrested and placed in Jail last  
night charged with stealing cigars from Ryan's  
saloon.

**TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY**  
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets  
Burglars refund money if it fails to cure. E. W.  
CROVER'S signature is on each box. 25c.

Our Music Pictures for Christmas are  
historical; in singles and groups.

J. T. KACKLEY & CO.

Mrs. William J. Wilson, aged about 60, died  
a few days since at her home at Germantown,  
after an illness of typhoid fever. She is sur-  
vived by her husband, who, within the past  
two years, has lost by death his wife, two sons  
and one daughter.

# Oranges \$3 Per Box

Any size,

Mixed Nuts, 15c Per Pound.

Candy, 10c to 20c Pound.

Leading Retail Store.

Phone 454.

## DINGER BROS.

## MARKET STREET

A beautiful line of Postcard Albums  
15c to \$1.50 at The Sallie S. Wood Drugstore.

Cartmell extracts teeth without pain.

## KNIGHTS OF ST. JOHN.

All members are requested to prepare them-  
selves to receive Holy Communion Christmas  
morning at 5 o'clock Mass.

M. J. LYNCH, Captain.

## APPLE BRANDIES

Strictly pure, direct from distilleries. Guar-  
anteed. At Diener's Place, 208 Market street.

To the Citizens of Maysville and  
Mason County: We extend to each  
and all a Merry Christmas and a  
Happy New Year. May you all  
live long and be prosperous. Sin-  
cerely and gratefully yours,

D. HECHINGER & CO.

# "C'ris'mas Gif'!"

We Wish You All "A Merry Christmas," and  
May Santa Claus Fill Your Stocking  
to Overflowing.

We Offer a Few Suggestions  
For Acceptable Gifts.

Run Over the List and You May Find Just What You Want

**Buggy Robes.**  
Carriage Heaters and Coal.  
**Sewing Machines.**—We have sold quite a number for Christ-  
mas Eve delivery. They have a life-time guarantee, and every one  
that buys one is tickled to death with the comfort of it. You can't  
hear it run. \$25 is the highest priced one we have. Just think  
of it.  
**Saddles for men and boys.** We also have a few Ladies' Riding  
Saddles. A saddle makes a most acceptable gift.  
**Some beautiful Carving Sets.** Stop worrying about what to  
buy and come in.  
**Ingersoll Watches.**—Yankee, Junior and Midget. They keep  
time or we will take them back.  
**Gloves.**—All kinds. Some handsome Dress and Driving  
Gloves.  
**Pocket Knives.**—Ever see a boy that didn't want a pocket  
knife?  
**Safety Razors and Shaving Soap.**  
**Rifle for the boy or Shotgun for the man.**  
**Leggings.**  
**Storm Fronts.**  
And if you don't mind the amount, give them a nice  
Buggy or Runabout. The price will be right, for we need the  
coin.  
Last, but not least, give that poor old patient horse a good,  
warm Blanket.  
Yours for "A Merry Christmas."

# Mike Brown

The Square Deal Man

The tobacco sales yesterday amounted to  
74,415 pounds at an average of \$9.07.

Mr. Samuel McNutt of West Third street,  
who has been very ill for some time, is still in  
very feeble health.

Mr. J. L. Brough of the Helena neighbor-  
hood has received from A. P. Adair of Paris,  
fine stock raiser, a registered Durco Jersey  
cow.

Finally, don't forget our beautiful  
Framed Pictures for Christmas. Over 200 on  
display. Call and see.

J. T. KACKLEY & CO.

## Mason Circuit Court.

In the cause of James Tuel against William  
Clark's Administrator, on trial for the past  
several days, the Jury awarded the plaintiff  
\$650 with 6% interest from December 23d  
until paid, with costs herein expended. The  
plaintiff sued for \$1,000 for caring for Clark  
during his last illness and incidental expenses  
incurred for funeral.

The Sheriff reported C. T. Marsh as a regu-  
lar Juror, who appeared and took his seat.

Herndon against Omar Dodson is now on  
trial. This cause is the result of the plaintiff  
stepping into an open elevator shaft in the  
Dodson building last spring, whereby perma-  
nent injuries were entailed, is the plea.

Miss Beale Johnson, Court Stenographer,  
was directed to take full stenographic notes  
of the testimony in this case.

## TEACHER RESIGNED

Miss Emma Schulz has resigned her position  
as teacher in the Primary Department of the  
High School. She is said to have been a most  
competent teacher. Miss Catherine Marsh of  
Forest avenue has been chosen by the Board  
of Education to fill the vacancy.

## KNIGHTS TEMPLAR NOTICE

Maysville Commandery No. 10, K. T., will  
observe its annual Christmas service at the  
Masonic Temple Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.  
Every member urged to be present.

A. G. SULLIVAN, E. C.

R. B. Owens, Recorder.

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

The office fixtures of Thomas R. Phister will  
be sold at public auction at his office, Wednes-  
day, December 28th, 1910, at 2 o'clock,  
Mitchell, Finch & Company's Bank Build-  
ing. Everybody invited.

## \$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to  
learn that there is at least one dread disease that  
science has been able to cure in all its stages, and  
that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only  
positive cure now known to the medical fraternity.  
Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a  
constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is  
taken internally, acting directly upon the blood  
and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby de-  
stroying the foundation of the disease, and giving  
the patient strength by building up the constitu-  
tion and assisting nature in doing its work. The  
proprietors have so much faith in its curative  
powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for  
any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of  
testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## We Are the Only Sealshipt Oyster Agents

Sweet ORANGES, only 17c a dozen.  
Send here for Malaga Grapes, Only 15c a Pound.  
Mince Meat. Celery. Plum Puddings.

Phone 43.

GEISEL CONRAD.

# AN ACCEPTABLE GIFT

## COAT SWEATERS

are jaunty, serviceable, comfortable, economical—a quar-  
tette hard to beat. Ideal for school wear. For children,  
2 to 12 years, 50c to \$2. Women's Sweaters, white,  
black, gray, \$1.98 to \$4.

## BELTS

The winter suits with their separate waists make  
belts necessities, so you'll be safe in giving one as women  
like variety in these pretty adjuncts to the toilet. Dozens  
of styles here; many in pretty Xmas boxes. Black and  
colors with buckles of indescribable variety. 25c to \$2.

## UMBRELLAS

What's more acceptable as a Christmas gift than  
a handsome umbrella? Common sense in every particu-

lar and moderate in cost. Splendid values at \$1, \$1.50 in  
union taffeta and at \$2.50 and \$3.50 in silk.

## GLOVE GIFTS

So many cold-defying styles here—woolen, suede  
cashmerette, chamoiette lined and heavy kid. No need  
for any nipped fingers. Big line of fabric gloves for  
25c and 50c and the best dollar kid glove in the market.

## NOVELTY DRESS GOODS UNDERPRICE

The pretty warm fabrics that make such acceptable  
holiday gifts. The weave is attractive—a nub chevrot  
with the touch of white in the nub relieving the dark  
background of brown, gray, wine or blue. And just  
when pennies count for so much one-fourth is clipped  
from the price. 39c a yard, regularly 50c.

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# HUNT'S

1910

The Public Ledger, local and long  
distance Phone No. 40.

We are showing the exclusively new  
things in mesh bags, toilet sets, platinum  
jewelry and gold jewelry.

CLOONEY, the Jeweler.

Saturday is bargain day at Hoeft's.  
Come.

While grinding sausage, Miss Maggie Mc-  
Cormick of Carleton caught one of the fingers  
of her right hand in the mill and the end of  
the finger was ground off.

For Xmas candies of the best at Dis-  
coll's East Third street.

Elder Thomas Knox, who has been Pastor  
of the Bald Hill Christian Church in Nicholas  
county for three years, has resigned and will  
probably accept a call to a Church in the West.



## Christmas Shopping

Made easy by trading at  
Schatzmann's China Store.  
See the 10c Specials.

Globe Stamp Co.

# A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to All!

We extend our thanks to our many  
friends for their liberal patronage  
in the past year. We hope for a  
continuance of same during the  
coming year, and hope to give you  
even better service than we have in  
the past, for we are one year older.



## PUBLIC LEDGER.

A. F. CURRAN, Ed. and Mgr.

MAYSVILLE, KENTUCKY.

Precipitation is aviation's worst enemy.

Airships have not yet filed freight tariffs.

Winter is looking over the fence at us.

Nicaragua gives signs of refusing to stay put.

"The hobble skirt is passing," says a fashion note. But slowly, of course.

One of the requisites of an aeroplane flight is a check for a good-sized amount.

One of the shocking new plays brought out in New York is named "Electricity."

The thumping of the steam pipes in the early morning means more noise but not more heat.

Chinese officials must give up their jobs or their queues. The latter will naturally have to go.

A London scientist has invented a sure cure for a cold. So has everybody else in the world.

A Hoosier dentist has planned a tooth insurance policy. He may bite off more than he can chew.

In future, when aviation meets are to be stopped by the police, they will have to have more "fly cops."

There are 80,000 rooms in New York without light. And yet they boast of the Great White Way.

With aeroplane makers organized the pickets could have lots of fun making faces at non-union craft.

King Chulalongkorn is dead. Commentators will be glad to learn that his successor's name is Chompha Maha Vajiravudh.

A lecturer declared lately that the perfect woman of the future will not be a mother. Then she will not be a perfect woman.

The woman who has a pet boa constrictor 11 feet long shouldn't kick if her husband brings home a load of snake bite cure.

Man is a useless creature, asserts a Chicago woman lecturer. What? Who'd stay home and tend the baby if it wasn't for men?

Still, there are some young men who are more interested in the price of American beauty roses than in the cost of beefsteak.

About the time a man begins to grow brush heaps in his ears he loses interest in the changing vagaries of fashions in socks.

The Massachusetts girl who can throw a baseball like Ellam is a factory girl. No college or society girl can compete with her.

Shakespeare may have had the man-birds in mind when he mentioned the condition of being "horsed on the slightest corners of the air."

It is alleged that dressed Peruvian monkeys are being sold as rabbits in the London market. What a waste there must be in monkey tails.

A Toronto girl who thought she was marrying a young capitalist soon discovered that her husband was a hurglar. Is not marriage a lottery?

The Swiss are going to construct another tunnel through the Alps. Evidently they do not take much stock in the aerial route taken by Chavez.

Three of the last load of deer brought into Banger, Me., says an exchange, were shot by women. Who says a woman can't hit anything she aims at?

They are going to put up another huge building in New York, this time one of 46 stories. Daylight will yet be at a premium on the Manhattan street level.

A preacher says that young women prefer marriage to missionary work. If they tackle the former, however, they'll find that they're in for a hit of the latter.

Only scientific institutions or learned chemists will be permitted to buy radium. As it is \$36,000,000 a pound, one can readily see what hardship this arbitrary regulation is going to work among the general public, seeking radium bargains.

In Detroit a man was arrested because he shot off firecrackers on the twenty-fifth anniversary of his wedding. A man who wants to celebrate because he has been married twenty-five years ought to have some privileges.

An Oregon detective has been decorated by China for guarding the Chinese prince on the latter's recent visit to this country. But a detective sporting a yellow jacket and a peacock feather would be rather hampered in the business of secret identity.

# The Substitute Mistletoe

by Wilbur D. Nesbit

If there is anything in the world more aggravating to a young woman than a young man who will not, or cannot, see that she favors him above all the rest, it has not yet been listed.

Prudence Milton as much as a year ago discovered that Alfred Ruthven possessed all the qualities that go to make a man noble and splendid and brave—no, not brave! A brave man would have proposed to Prudence long since. But Alfred, Prudence knew, was handsome and intelligent, and prosperous. Just one thing he lacked—self-confidence. Alfred was bashful on the love subject.

A great many men are so. They can discuss politics, the musical glasses, the drama, literature, art, science and the classics fluently with a young woman, but they shy away from the real heart interest like an aeroplane dodging a church steeple.

Why, Prudence had inveigled Alfred into long walks with her in the silvery moonlight of spring and the golden moonlight of summer—all to no avail. Once, in August, she was boating with him, and she had pretended to be afraid the boat would capsize.

"What would you do if it did?" she asked him.

Naturally she expected him to reply that he would plunge in after her and save her or perish in the attempt. Such a heroic remark as that would of course lead into a more passionate avowal of his reasons for being willing to lay down his young life for her—and then, of course, he could easily hop-skip right along to a request that, since he was willing to die for her, she might consider favorably a proposition to share his life with him, or words to that effect.

But when she asked him, with a tremulous shake in her lovely voice, and with a world of faith and trust in her lustrous eyes:

"What would you do if the boat capsize?"

He never even stopped rowing. He just said:

"It wouldn't matter much. The water isn't over three feet deep here."

Prudence almost capsize the boat from sheer vexation then. When a woman becomes vexed with a man because he does not realize that he loves

Come we now to Christmas eve. Prudence had, by ways and means familiar to the feminine mind, conveyed to the bashful Alfred the intelligence that she had made for him a Christmas remembrance. Never mind how she did this. You, if you are a man grown, will be able to hark back into your own past and bring up some instances of woman's diplomacy wherein she was able to tell you something without saying anything in particular. Just gave your intuition a chance.

Knowing this, Alfred knew that it was his bounden duty to reciprocate—



"That is, She Allowed Him to Put the Kiss Back Where He Got It."

and to reciprocate in advance. Always, always, a man must reciprocate in advance to a lady.

So Alfred might have been seen stepping hesitatingly up the steps of the Milton home on Christmas eve. He carried a small package in one hand. It was his intention to deliver this to whoever came to the door, with a message that it was for Prudence.

In answer to his ring no less a person than Prudence herself opened the door. Her eyes were sparkling, her cheeks were rosy, and in one hand she held a bunch of green stuff.

"Why, Alfred!" she exclaimed. "Come right in. I'm putting up the Christmas greens."

So Alfred came right in, shyly and slyly depositing the little package on a small table in the hall as he entered. Prudence led the way to the living

room, which was empty of other people, fortunately, at that moment.

"Won't you help me?" she asked. "I think it is such fun to decorate the house with the holly and stuff for the holidays. Now I've just been trying to tie this bunch to the chandelier."

She mounted a chair and affixed the bunch of green sprays to the chandelier. Alfred stood in dumb admiration. He looked at Prudence, and he looked at the green herbage which she fastened to the fixture. She looked down at him, smiling, then put out her hand.

"Help me down," she said. Alfred caught her hand to assist her to come from the chair.

Heroes are made in a moment. No man knows in what instant his soul may flame within him so that he will do and dare as he never dreamed of doing or daring. The philosophers call such times psychological moments. This was one. Alfred helped Prudence down, and it was quite natural and easy for her to find herself in his arms when she reached the floor. And then before she knew what he was about—at least, so she said—he had kissed her.

"Mister Ruthven!" she exclaimed. "How dare you?"

"I—I—you know—the—the mistletoe!" he stammered, disengaging one arm and pointing to the decoration above her head.

"I forget that," she said, demurely. And then Alfred found tongue at last and told her what she had wanted him to tell her all the year. And he asked her to be his Christmas gift, and she consented in what is so often called the time-honored way. That is, she allowed him to put the kiss back where he got it.

Later that evening Alfred said to her:

"Do you know, I don't believe I ever would have had the courage to propose to you if it hadn't been for that mistletoe."

"That mistletoe!" she laughed. "Alfred, that mistletoe is silly. I don't believe it would have worked at all if it had been real mistletoe."

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JUST SO.



"Ah," we say to our friend, whom we observe counting a large roll of bills before starting out, "going to buy something to fill some one's stocking?"

He looks at us with a merry, holiday twinkle in his eyes and replies: "Yes. I'm going around to buy a wooden leg for my brother."

## Alfred Potts-Herbert

By Wilbur D. Nesbit



ODAY when me an' Willie Smith An' Alfred Potts an' Spot McKay An' some more boys we's playin' with Got talkin' some 'bout Christmas day

An' how we must buhhave real well, 'Cause all our pas an' mas they said Ol' Santa Claus can always tell What boy has miscluff in his head, Why, Alfred Potts he say to us: "It's nothin' but a lot o' fuss! Don't you buhlieve your pas and mas—There never was no Santa Claus!"

An' nen we tell him 'tisn't so, 'At we heard Santa come last year An' see his sleigh tracks in th' snow— An' he has sleigh bells, 'cause we hear. An' where th' chimbley is we see Th' soot all scraped off in th' back An' 'at shows where o' Santa, he Comed down th' chimbley with his pack. But Alfred Potts, he sniff, like this, An' say: "You don't know what you miss By not a bein' bad, buhcause There never was no Santa Claus!"

Nen me an' Willie Smith an' all Th' other boys, an' Spot McKay, P'tend we bear somebody call Us to come home, an' slip away An' we won't play with Alfred Potts Buhcause we know 'at he is bad When we think of th' lots an' lots Of Christmas 'at he have had. I tell my pa what Alfred said An' he laugh some an' shake his head An' say 'at Alfred's chance is slim 'Cause Santa won't buhlieve in him! (Copyright, 1910, W. D. Nesbit.)

## HE KEPT CHICKENS

It was Vantine who laid the trail of powder and applied the match. He did it last April when McQueen was explaining for the fiftieth time that the country place he had just purchased over in Michigan was without exception the greatest bargain and the prettiest spot on earth.

"You are going to keep chickens, of course?" suggested Vantine, in the tone which demands an affirmative answer.

"Why," said McQueen, who-up to that minute hadn't thought anything about it at all, "why, yes, of course! We'll have our own fresh eggs. Of course, I am going to have the finest poultry yard in the state! Chickens! Well, I should say so!"

Before he moved his family over to the new home in May McQueen had invited everybody he knew to drop in any time during the summer for a weekend. Everybody was most deeply interested in McQueen's chicken yard, which he had been to hussy to see about as yet. It seemed to him that his friends took a malleous delight in slapping him on the back and spreading the news.

"Hello!" they would say, jovially. "Poring over catalogues, I suppose, picking out your chickens and stuff? Why, didn't you know, Chester, that McQueen, here, has a huge chicken farm over in Michigan? Aw, you're just modest, McQueen—you know you have! Fresh eggs at every meal!"

In the face of all this McQueen was in nervously desperate straits when he landed with two friends in the country in June, and his wife, in response to his frantic inquiries, placidly said the chickens had come—at least, six hens had. No there weren't any eggs yet. Then she was startled to see her husband turn pale and apparently have some sort of a fit.

"But," he got out, finally, "Chester and Vantine haven't done a thing all the way across the lake but talk about the fresh eggs they are going to have and the fried chicken dinner I am to set up Sunday! Why, those hens have got to lay—"

"Now, Henry!" said his wife, awake at last to the emergency, "they'll never know the difference! I got real nice eggs from the grocer who sends a wagon around, and I've no doubt he can sell chickens, too!"

"Well, for goodness' sake, don't let the fellows know they're not from our place!" gasped McQueen, in agonized relief.

He explained the apparent paucity of hens to his friends by saying that he had sent back a lot that weren't satisfactory, and then he gave color to his fiction about his chicken yard by giving the man of all work lavish orders as to placing chicken wire.

McQueen, still nervous from his narrow escape resolved when he got back to town to buy and ship all the available live poultry, so he might breathe in peace. Vantine and Chester went back shouting praises of their chicken dinner and their breakfast omelets. Then the rush began. So many friends wanted to drop over to Michigan with McQueen that it looked as though he would have to issue checks.

"Fresh eggs and real home-grown chickens sounds good to us," they would say, plaintively.

McQueen neglected his business hunting up material for his fatal chicken yard. He tried artfully to talk the virtues of lake bass and hatcher's meat and breakfast bacon, while his hens were so busy getting acquainted with their new home, that they did not attend to their duties, but everybody put up protesting hands.

"What!" they would exclaim. "No fish, no bacon for us. We came over here especially for fresh eggs and fried chicken! No steak, thank you."

So the McQueens squandered untold gold on the grocery boy and scoured the countryside for eggs. All of McQueen's week-ends resolved themselves into nightmares of showing determined guests about his chicken yard. He never got time to go anywhere else. All of Mrs. McQueen's midweeks were devoted to hunting up a fresh supply of eggs and chickens to feed to the week-end crowd. She couldn't have any of their own chickens killed, because they were supposed to lay eggs.

By fall McQueen had bought ten different kinds of food warranted to make hens lay and none of which did; had invested in six different brands of chickens, each warranted better than the last, none of which were; had spent a fortune on day labor and rolls of chicken wire and carpenter for the honhouse and paid so much money for eggs and frolfars that his blood curdled to his toes when his wife showed him the bill.

"I kept count," she said. "We had just 30 eggs of our own all summer long from 250 hens. Now, what are you going to do with them this winter, when we go back to Chicago?"

"Do with them!" exclaimed McQueen. "I'm going to poison the lot, or else sell them to some greenhorn, who is fool enough to think he wants a chicken yard! And, Angelina McQueen, if you serve chicken in any form to me during the next six months or bring a soft-boiled egg within gunshot of me, I'll not be answerable for the consequences! I'm a desperate man!"

"You needn't worry," said his wife, "I'm kind of tired of chickens, myself."

## CURE THAT COLD TODAY

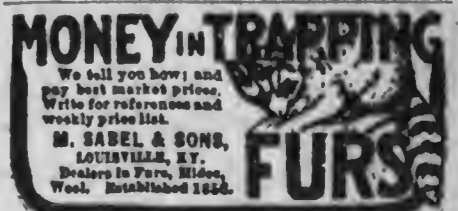


"I would rather preserve the health of a nation than be its ruler."—MUNYON.

Thousands of people who are suffering with colds are about today. Tomorrow they may be prostrated with pneumonia. An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure. Get a 25 cent bottle of Munyon's Cold Cure at the nearest drug store. This bottle may be conveniently carried in the vest pocket. If you are not satisfied with the effects of the remedy, send us your empty bottle and we will refund your money. Munyon's Cold Cure will speedily break up all forms of colds and prevent grippe and pneumonia. It checks discharges of the nose and eyes, stops sneezing, allays inflammation and fever, and tones up the system.

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### Why Do They?

Why women like the baldheaded man it is somewhat difficult to define. It may be because he appears to be: Thoughtful and kind.

Trustworthy and confiding. Whimsical. Past the follies and frivolities of youth.

Usually successful. A man of property.

Opinions why women like the bald-headed man obtained by the Daily Mirror are as follows:

He is not silly like young men.

He accepts refusals of marriage so nicely that one is sorry one did not accept him.

The bald patch looks so clean and nice. One would like to kiss it.

A doctor welcomes baldness when it comes to him, as it is a sign of sedateness and dignified learning, which invariably increases his practise.

### A LINGERER.



The Eldest Daughter—If Harry had lived in the old days he'd have made a good knight.

Her father—I don't know much about that—but it takes him a long time to say "good night" now.

Which is the Star? "We are thinking of putting an electric sign over the church."

"It might be a good idea."

"But there are factions. We can't decide whether to feature the minister or the soprano of the choir."

We cannot teach truth to another, we can only help him find it.—Galilee.

## Gives Breakfast Zest and Relish Post Toasties

A sweet, crisp, wholesome food made of Indian Corn, ready to serve right from the box with cream and sugar.

Flavoury Delicious Economical "The Memory Lingers"

Postum Cereal Company, Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

# The Vision of the Tree

## By Wilbur D. Nesbit

The tree was all a-twinkle with its candles here and there  
And with a merry tinkle swayed the gifts it had to bear,  
And all was now completed for the morrow that should be  
With joyous welcome greeted by the children 'round the tree,  
When—I may have dreamed it so,  
But the grace of long ago  
Came through the hush of midnight and bided there with me.

I sighed, as does a sleeper when dreams hold the heart of him;  
The shadows grew the deeper till the tree was blurred and dim—  
Then marvelously glowing as of all the stars and suns  
With a beauty past all knowing, with the majesty that stuns,  
Stood a cross of jewel-flame  
Which from out the shadows came—  
And softly came a chanting: "To these, the little ones!"

Strange glory held the trifles that hung upon the trees;  
The marveling that stifles all speech laid hold on me;  
I felt the impulse olden that led the storied kings  
To come with treasures golden and precious offerings  
In that first gray Christmas dawn  
Of the centuries ago,  
When all earth thrived with music and beat of angel wings.

I knew that I was dreaming—but there rose a glorious chime  
And the morning stars were gleaming in the field of space and time;  
Then the heart-entrancing vision slowly vanished quite away,  
But upon a sight elysian it had been for me to stray—  
And I heard all faintly far  
Music dripping from each star—  
The voice of Children singing—and it was Christmas Day!



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### Little Henry Finds Out

#### by Wilbur D. Nesbit

**M**A called me to her day before yesterday and sed she wanted me to help her do something.

She had a peecce of pencil in her hand that was about a inch long and looked as if she had chewed it to sharpen it, and she had a lot of notes made on the back of a bill from the dressmaker.

Henry, she said, I am puzzled to deth to kno what to give your pa and your Unkel Willyum for Christmas. I do wish you would kind of pump them and see what they would like to hav, and then tell me, without giving it away to them what you are trying to find out.

All right, ma, I told her, and tried to get a peek at her list to see if she had me down for the maggiezine revolver I want.

But she folded up the paper and put it away.

So that night when pa and Unkel Bill was sitting in the library talkin about the way senator Tillman had better look out or he will be playing in a drama that has a press agent, or else he will be crackin a black snake whip around in Unkel Toms Cabben, I ast pa what he thot was the right kind of a Christmas present.

You otto be satisfide with what you get, my young man, he sed, without coming around and hintin.

I aint hintin, I told him. I just wondered what your idee would be about one for yourself.

Grato Scott! he sed. Has it come to this? It is bad enuff to hafta fork over for the fool things yure ma buys for me without bavin to pay for something you get for me.

I dont want to get you anything, I sed. I just want to get yure idee about what you want.

Unkel Bill spoke up and sed most men could tell what they wanted better by tellin what they dont want.

What would you like to hav, unkel Bill? I ast him.

Well, now, he sed, there is lots of



things I would be glad to see in my stockin on Christmas morning. If I was a woman of course I would yern for dimund bracelets and necklaces and rings and gold watches that I could pin on me somewhere where a pickpocket could get them without pickin my pocket. There never was a pickpocket that could pick a woman's pocket, except one that lived in Noo York, and he had been marrid forty times, and he confessed that the reason he got marrid so meuny times was just becoss he wanted to

You wate till you get marrid, pa spoke up reel quick.

Finelly pa and Unkel Bill thay got me to tell them about ma astin me to find out what they wanted, and then they laffed and laffed, and Unkel Bill sed it was a refreshin indication of the change that was takin place when a woman even thought of thinkin about what you wanted. He sed they usually went ahead and got what they wanted you to want.

You tell your ma, pa sed, that as neer as you can learn what I want is more hair on my hed, my wisdom tooth filled, and rockkin chares that I went hump into with my legs when I get up in the mornin.

And if she asts you what I want, unkel Bill sed, you tell her that I am noncommittal to a degree, but that you think I would prefer a tobacco pouch that has ashay powder inside the lining, a collar and cuff box with pink satin inside of it, a cigar cutter that I can hang on my watch chane whenever I want to feel pertickery ashamed of myself, a silver handled pencil that she can borrow from me the day after Christmas and never giv back to me, and a smokin set made out of hammered brass that I can sell to somebuddy for finger bowls.

That's rite, pa sed.

But the best Christmas present for a man, unkel Bill sed, is to pick out a fifty dollar present for him, that he would hafta pay for when the bill comes in, and then not get it.

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**DARK OUTLOOK BEFOREHAND.**

"Mamma," asks the little boy, "how can Santa Claus get into our flat, when we haven't any chimney—nothing but a steam radiator?"

"He will probably slip in by the basement door, darling."

"It's all off then," says the lad, with a surprising vigor in the use of slang. "That janitor will put him out of business before he can unpack his sack."

**HER ONE BIG WISH.**

Sister Sue—Johnnie, do you know what I would like most?

Brother Johnnie—No, What?

Sister Sue—I saw a fat lady at the circus last summer and I wish I had her sticking to hang up on Christmas night.

## WHO'S WHO AND WHY

### A WOMAN AIRSHIP BUILDER



Thousands of persons pass daily a dingy building in Twenty-third street, New York city, without ever so much as dreaming that up in its loft there is a woman with tireless brain at work on the great problem of conquering the air. One need not be unduly surprised at this, as women have invaded most of man's territory, anyway. Miss E. Lillian Todd is no newcomer in the field, yet she is the only woman builder of airships, and it is in the loft mentioned that she does all her planning. Visitors admitted to the place soon learn to watch out. If they do not they are sure to be hit in the nose by some cardboard model which the ardent Miss Todd sends whizzing across the room with a rubber-hand motor. Miss Todd began serious work on a hiplane about two years ago which was in successful flight on the aviation field at Mineola recently. "I don't care to say just what I'm working toward," she says, in answer to a question, "but what I—what every builder of an airship wants to achieve is a ship that will balance and recover automatically, like a bird. That more than anything else will make airship travel practical.

"We're not working toward it very fast in America now. Aviators seem content here to continue making spectacular flights, content with brilliant exhibition work. The public is delighted to applaud, and the press gives them plenty of space; but that won't last forever. There will come a time when the public will demand something more practical. More serious work is being done on airships abroad. They go into things more deeply over there. We Americans skim over the surface. We are hampered, too, by the personal jealousies of aviators. I believe in the freedom of the air, and I think it will be a great pity if the development of airships is hampered by litigation over patents.

"I believe airships will be used as practical carriers within five years. They won't take the place of trolley cars, but there is a vast field for airships. They can be used for exploration. Think what difficult marches they will save. They will be of endless value to civil engineers in taking observations for the best points for bridges, etc. And of course they would be immensely useful in war; but let us hope there won't be any war for them to be used in.

"It is a work that grips and holds the attention. Often I work 17 hours a day and then object because I have to go to bed and waste time sleeping."

### NEW SENATOR FROM GEORGIA



Joseph Meriwether Terrell is the new United States senator from Georgia. The naming of Governor Terrell probably caused no surprise throughout the state. He was the one man most conspicuously mentioned for the post.

A former governor of Georgia and former attorney general of the state, Senator Terrell has been conspicuous for his interest in education for the boys and girls of the state. The establishment of the eleven district agricultural schools which have since come into being was authorized during his incumbency of the gubernatorial office in 1902.

Senator Terrell served in the lower house in the sessions of 1884 and 1886, and in the senate which convened in 1890. He was elected attorney general in 1892 and served until 1902, when he resigned to make the race for governor. In that campaign he made over 120 speeches.

He served in the office of governor for four years and eight months, being given an extra length of time owing to the action of the legislature in changing the time of meeting of the legislature from October to June. He retired from the governor's chair on July 1, 1906, and has since been engaged in the practice of law in Atlanta.

The new junior senator from Georgia is forty-nine years of age. He was born in Greenville, Meriwether county, on June 6, 1861, the son of Joel E. G. and Sarah R. (Anthony) Terrell. The county of his birth was named for General David Meriwether, an uncle of his grandfather, and the one for whom the grandfather was named. He was educated in the common schools of the state and studied law, being admitted to the bar in 1882. Four years later, on October 19, 1886, he married Jessie Lee Spivey of Greenville.

The term for which Senator Terrell is named will terminate on the second Tuesday after the legislature meets next June, or whenever his successor is elected and qualifies.

### WINANS NEW TO HIS COUNTRY



Although he is fifty-six years of age, Walter Winans, an American citizen, never saw this country until he stepped ashore from the steamer Cedric at New York the other day. Mr. Winans' father, William L. Winans of Baltimore, went to Russia to build a railroad for the czar and never returned. It was said that the sea voyage from America had been so disagreeable that he feared to make the return. At any rate his son Walter was born in St. Petersburg and as the family established its residence in England he was brought up in that country.

Walter inherited an enormous fortune. He has devoted his life to sport. He has 32 of his horses now on Austrian tracks and may send these to America some day. He has a very large stable of show horses, 16 of which he has sent to this country for exhibition at the New York horse show. Mr. Winans is also a hunter of big game. He has killed 2,000 stags and boars. In fact, he is more devoted to hunting than he is to horse shows and racing. It is not alone as a sportsman that Mr. Winans has won fame. He has gone in for art and his work as a sculptor and painter has been exhibited at the Royal academy. Mr. Winans is much interested in tattooing, and a design on his arm is said to be the most beautiful piece of tattooing ever done.

Mr. Winans has lived nearly 40 years in England, and for 12 years he held the revolver championship of that country. He has always classified himself as an American. He is a chevalier of the Imperial Russian order of St. Stanislas. He speaks German, French, Russian and Italian. He learned Russian in St. Petersburg, and attended school there a long time. He believes that anybody who can learn Russian ought to be able to pick up any old language.

### BARS THE INAUGURAL BALL



Governor-elect H. W. Johnson of California, who declined to attend an inaugural ball arranged in his honor, is the insurgent leader in his state. He first came into prominence during the fight against graft, and it was largely due to his influence that Abe Ruef was convicted after the shooting of Francis J. Heney in court. Mr. Johnson was born in California in 1866. He studied at the University of California, practiced law at Sacramento and went to San Francisco in 1902. Prior to his departure for Washington he dictated letters in which he declined to attend the ball.

The mayor of Sacramento appointed a committee of thirty citizens to arrange for the customary inaugural ball. The list was submitted by Mr. Johnson's friends. In a letter received by the mayor Mr. Johnson says: "So far as I am personally concerned, I prefer that your plans be not carried out. I wish my inauguration to be of the most simple and direct character, without ceremony or ostentation."

Mr. Johnson says in a letter to a friend, Victor Hatfield: "I wish the inauguration to be direct, certain and simple; and while, of course, the social amenities of the position will be punctiliously observed, superfluous entertainment to myself will be eliminated."

"It is for these reasons that I do not wish, so far as it relates to me, any inaugural ball or ceremony."

### TWO WORLD FAMED GRANNIES

One of These Talented Women is Sarah Bernhardt and the Other Ellen Terry.

Two famous grandmothers are distinguished visitors of this country. Referring to these talented ladies the Rochester Post Express says: "One of the grandmothers is Mme. Sarah Bernhardt; the other is Ellen Terry. Both actresses have reached an age when it is permissible to retire from active life; but the French actress is said to be as energetic as a woman half her age, while Ellen Terry is declared to be as young as ever she was in the palm days when she and Henry Irving ruled the theatrical world of England. Miss Terry has retired from the stage so far as acting is concerned, and has taken to lecturing on Shakespeare's heroines. And who could do better than she who has played so many of the womanly women of the great dramatist? Readers of her breezy biography know what she thinks of Portia, Beatrice, Viola, Rosalind and other famous women of the tragedies and comedies, but no printed page could charm as does the wonderfully expressive features and the velvet voice of the greatest living English-speaking actress."

### SAVED OLD LADY'S HAIR

"My mother used to have a very bad humor on her head which the doctors called an eczema, and for it I had two different doctors. Her head was very sore and her hair nearly all fell out in spite of what they both did. One day her niece came in and they were speaking of how her hair was falling out and the doctors did it no good. She says, 'Aunt, why don't you try Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment?' Mother did and they helped her. In six months' time the itching, burning and scalding of her head was over and her hair began growing. To-day she feels much in debt to Cuticura Soap and Ointment for the fine head of hair she has for an old lady of seventy-four."

"My own case was an eczema in my feet. As soon as the cold weather came my feet would itch and burn and then they would crack open and bleed. Then I thought I would flee to my mother's friends, Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. I did for four or five winters, and now my feet are as smooth as any one's. Ellsworth Dunham, Hiram, Me., Sept. 30, 1909."

**Couldn't Stand the Nuisance.**

"He complains that he was unable to get along with his wife's relatives."

**What was the matter? Did they all want to live at his expense?**

"No. His father-in-law wanted him to earn the salary he was getting from the old gentleman."

**A Long Chance.**

"I took a long chance when I asked her to marry me."

**She rejected you, eh?**

"No, that was the long chance I took. She accepted me."

### A DIFFERENCE.



**Stranger—Is this the nursery?**  
**Host—No; that's the bawlfroom.**

**EAGER TO WORK.**  
**Health Regained by Right Food.**

The average healthy man or woman is usually eager to be busy at some useful task or employment.

But let dyspepsia or indigestion get hold of one, and all endeavor becomes a burden.

"A year ago, after recovering from an operation," writes a Michigan lady, "my stomach and nerves began to give me much trouble."

"At times my appetite was voracious, but when indulged, indigestion followed. Other times I had no appetite whatever. The food I took did not nourish me and I grew weaker than ever."

"I lost interest in everything and wanted to be alone. I had always had good nerves, but now the merest trifle would upset me and bring on a violent headache. Walking across the room was an effort and prescribed exercise was out of the question."

"I had seen Grape-Nuts advertised, but did not believe what I read at the time. At last when it seemed as if I was literally starving, I began to eat Grape-Nuts."

"I had not been able to work for a year, but now after two months on Grape-Nuts I am eager to be at work again. My stomach gives me no trouble now, my nerves are steady as ever, and interest in life and ambition have come back with the return to health."

Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new use appears from time to time. It is genuine, true, and one of our interest.

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MERRY Christmas.

"DEAR SANTA" is almost here.

THE Lord still loveth a cheerful giver.

A LITTLE mistletoe is a dangerous thing.

HOPE Santa Claus will put plans for a handsome viaduct in Maysville's Christmas stocking.

## CORN SHOW

Lively Competition Expected at Big Cereal Event December 27th in This City

The Corn Show will be held at Miss Yancey's office on Tuesday, December 27th, at 1 o'clock. Professor McKinney of State University, Lexington, College of Agriculture, will deliver a lecture on corn.

All entries close for Mason county at 9 a. m. on the date of the show.

All boys between the ages of 6 and 18 may enter corn.

For best ten ears of Boone County White Corn grown from seed distributed from Miss Yancey's office: First premium, \$10; second, \$5.

## Diamond Jewelry

There is nothing quite so acceptable for Yuletide gifts. We have a wide assortment of unusually fine goods, very moderate in price. Also, a nice line of

Brooches,  
Bracelets,  
La Vallieres,  
Scarf Pins,  
Earrings,  
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Opposite L. and N. Depot.  
Phone 473.

It's the night before Christmas.

P. S.—Don't forget to hang the mistletoe in the cosy corner.

PITY the tired shop girl and be brisk and polite in making your purchases.

CONGRESS adjourns so that Uncle Sam can enjoy a peaceful Christmas in Washington.

A MAN doesn't necessarily have to have a big bunch of white whiskers to make a good Santa Claus.

THE "Suitcase Specials" on the L. and N. and the C. and O. are doing a thriving business these holiday times.

THE Pope is said to receive 23,000 pieces of mail every day. His Holiness gets more mail than any other person in the world except Saint Nicholas.

Best ten ears white corn grown by any boy from any seed: First premium, \$5; second, \$2.50.

Best ten ears white corn grown by any farmer, boy or man, in the county, premium, \$3.

Best bushel of corn, 70 ears, any color, grown by any farmer, boy or man, in the county; premium, Oliver chilled plow.

The premium corn will be sent to the State Show at Lexington, which will be held January 31-6th, 1911.

Germantown's new flour mill expects to begin operations in a few days.

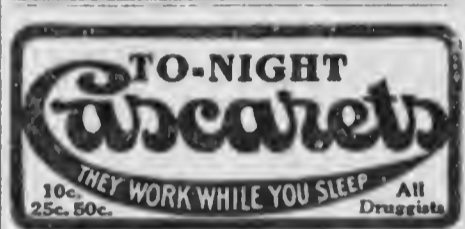
Captain and Mrs. C. W. Pfister have taken up their winter quarters at the St. Charles Hotel.

Mrs. Anna McDougle and son, William, of Lexington, are spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Darnell of East Second street.

Mr. George C. Easton of West Fourth street had an attack last night of congestion of the lungs and hemorrhage. He is in a serious condition. He also received word of the critical condition of his son in Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.

Among the recent marriages at Georgetown, Ohio, reported by The News-Democrat, were those of Mr. Clarence L. Tucker and Miss Fannie Tucker, giving Maysville as their place of residence, and Mr. Harland Tule of Germantown and Miss Julia B. Riggs of Higginsport.

Regular services at the Central Presbyterian Church Sunday morning at 10:45, and evening at 7 o'clock. Morning and evening subjects appropriate to the season. Sunday-school at 9:30. J. B. Wood, Superintendent; Christian Endeavor at 6:15 p. m. Everybody is cordially invited.



## NOTICE.

The election of Directors for the Mason County Building and Saving Association for the ensuing year will take place at the Council Chamber on Saturday, December 31st, 1910, at 7 o'clock p. m. at 246 THOMAS M. RUSSELL, Secretary.

## You Must Select Gifts Soon

Christmas is almost here. If you are going to favor friends with tokens of love and esteem you must make your selections within a few days. Don't buy indifferently just because you are late. Come here and you'll find just the most suitable gifts for all your friends. We provided amply, even for the latest buyers.

Soft Leather Collar Boxes,  
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Clothes Brushes,  
Cut and Pressed Glass Bottles,  
Combs, Infants' Comb and Brush Sets,  
Cigar Cases, Perfumes, Shaving Brushes,  
Mirrors,  
Bill Books,  
Toilet Waters,  
Hair Brushes,  
Hat Brushes,  
Sachet Powder,  
Cigars,  
Etc.

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Diamond Rings from \$5 to \$150.  
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## FARMER'S WIFE HAD HEAP TO DO

Mrs. Shepherd Was in Bad Shape When She Could Not Stand on Her Feet.

Durham, N. C.—"I am a farmer's wife," writes Mrs. J. M. Shepherd, of this city, "and have a heap to do."

"Four months ago I could not stand on my feet, to do anything much, but at this time I do the most of my work. I took Cardui and it did me more good than all the doctors."

"You don't know how I thank you for the Cardui Home Treatment. I wish that all women who suffer from womanly trouble would treat themselves as I have."

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Being composed exclusively of vegetable ingredients, Cardui cannot lay trouble in your system, as mineral drugs often do. Its ingredients having no harsh, medicinal effects, and being non-poisonous and perfectly harmless, Cardui is absolutely safe for young and old.

Ask your druggist. He will tell you to try Cardui.

N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

## Stock Yard Fire—Thirty Firemen Killed

Fire horrors accumulate. Fire in Chicago Stock Yards yesterday got beyond control and 30 firefighters perished, including Chief Fire Marshal James Horan. Mayor Buse was also injured. Loss \$1,500,000. There have been nearly 60 firemen killed in two days by fires in Cincinnati, Philadelphia and Chicago. It is remembered that the Mayor of Lagrange, Ky., was killed last week at a fire.

## Our Weekly Tobacco Letter

Our sales this week amounted to 500,465 pounds, prices ranging from 3 to 22½ cents. Some of our good crops sold for the following averages: W. R. Cooper, Mason county, \$13.81 per hundred; Blatterman & Burling, Mason county, \$13.36; B. G. Early, Fleming county, \$14.56; C. C. Arthur, Mason county, \$12.57; Jesse Hamlin, Lewis county, \$13.50; Guthrie & Beasley, Brown county, O., \$11.57; James Brittain, Mason county, \$13.59; Wallingford & Johnson, \$10.70; Hudson Bros., Fleming county, \$11.27; C. B. Hook, Lewis county, \$13.22.

It gives us pleasure to say that we have practically had no rejection this week, which means of course that farmers have been satisfied with the market and we have had many voluntary expressions to that effect. This we believe is largely due to the fact that we have had less tobacco in a damaged condition and we have had a larger portion of our offerings from Mason and Brown counties, which have shown more character and merit than last week, at which time our offerings were largely from mountain counties.

Our market closed this week fully as strong as any day we have had this season, and farmers having tobacco with merit need have no fears of selling their tobacco on this market, as evidenced by some of the prices obtained as high as 22½ cents. We have given the names and addresses of those selling their tobacco with us this week, which should convince the most skeptical and which can be verified by communicating with any of the names we have given in the forepart of this letter. We again mention the fact that our sales are held daily, and that we will close only for one day during the holidays, namely Monday, December 26th.

THE MAYSVILLE LOOSE TOBACCO MARKET.

## THE POSTMASTERSHIP

Mr. Henry Ort, a Most Worthy Citizen and Republican, is a Prominent Applicant For the Maysville Plum

Mr. Henry Ort, one of Maysville's worthy citizens, and a Republican pure and undiluted, is an announced applicant for the Postmastership of this city.

If worth, competency and party zeal count for anything, then certainly he has a good showing. For thirty-five years he has been a wheel-horse and an earnest, zealous worker in the ranks of the party, ever ready and willing to respond with time, means and money to the advancement and success of the cause.

He has been steadfast and true in and out of season, and it can be truthfully said that a more staunch Republican is not to be found in this city.

He was a successful business man here for years, and that he is a man of integrity, sobriety, honesty and general worth, is borne out by the fact that his petition contains the names of ninety per cent. of the mercantile and business industries of this city.

This is the first time he has ever asked office at the hands of his party, and the fact that he is the decided choice of the people of this city, irrespective of party, should have some weight with the powers that be in Washington City.

We but voice the sentiment of the community in asking the President that he receives the appointment.

## GO TO THE NEW YORK STORE

## Christmas Presents for Everybody

FOR LADIES—Beautiful Sample Suits and Cloaks. Prices cut to a finish. Just in Ladies' Caracul Coats, all sizes, very long, prices under the market.

Children's and Baby Coats, reduced to give everyone a chance to have one.

HATS! HATS!—Must go this week. Nothing better for a gift for your wife or daughter. Prices to astonish you.

SMART ARTICLES—Such as Handkerchiefs, Neckwear, Pins, Jewelry, Hosiery, Dolls, Toys. You can buy of us cheaper than anywhere else.

We have been very busy all week, but able to wait on everyone, as our salespeople are experienced and courteous to all.

New York Store S. STRAUS, Proprietor.

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We also sell ½ pints and pints in all above mentioned.

Fine Old California Wines.

Port, Sweet Catawba, Cherry,  
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All 50c and 75c Per Bottle  
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## Lovel's Holiday Special

My purchases for the holiday trade are now in and I don't think anything has been overlooked. These goods have all been carefully selected, with the view of keeping up my long established reputation of only handling the best and pleasing my customers. I call special attention to my big stock of the following articles:

Apples, Oranges, Lemons, Grape Fruit, Bananas, Cranberries,  
Malaga Grapes, Raisins, Figs, Dates, Currants, Prunes,  
Peaches, Apricots, Nuts of all kinds, Mince Meat, Plum  
Pudding, Maple Syrup, Buckwheat Flour, Pickles,  
Sweet and sour, and every article in the Fancy Canned  
Goods Line. I have arranged for a full supply of Fancy  
Dressed Turkeys, Geese, Chickens, Ducks  
and Mammoth Golden Heart Geese.

My orders are now in for a big supply of the  
most Seal Shipped Oysters that  
comes to this market,  
which will be received

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Mr. Daniel Shefer, of the firm of Crane & Shefer, is able to be about again after a convalescence of two weeks with illness.

The Sunday-school of the Forest Avenue M. E. Church will hold their Christmas entertainment tonight at 6:45. The treat to school will be given Christmas morning at 9:30. All scholars be present.  
G. N. HARDING.

ACCEPTED CALL

Rev. J. M. Haymore of Prestonburg, recently extended a call from the First Baptist Church, this city, has accepted and is expected to take charge about January 16th.



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FIRE CHIEF HITE'S WARNING

Fire Chief Hite of the Mayeville Fire Department warns Mayeville people against the dangers arising from Christmas trees and the careless use of inflammable decorations of all kinds.

Do not use cotton hunting, tissue paper or celluloid ornaments on a tree.

Place the gifts beneath the tree instead of suspending them from the branches.

See that no draft of air reaches the tree to sway its branches while it is illuminated.

Extinguish all lights on the tree before attempting to distribute gifts, this especially if any are suspended from the branches.

Never leave the tree unwatched while illuminated, and make certain that all lights are thoroughly extinguished before you leave it.

Do not use cotton batting for the purpose of procuring a snow effect. There is a substance called "mineral wool," (made of asbestos,) which gives a better effect and will not burn.

And, finally, as has been frequently suggested heretofore, "Be Careful."

Worms

"Cascarets are certainly fine. I gave a friend one when the doctor was treating him for cancer of the stomach. The next morning he passed four pieces of a tape worm. He then got a box and in three days he passed a tape worm 45 feet long. It was Mr. Matt Freck, of Millersburg, Dauphin Co., Pa. I am quite a worker for Cascarets. I use them myself and find them beneficial for most any disease caused by impure blood."  
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Dr. Pierce's treatment will cure you right in the privacy of your own home. His "Favorite Prescription" has cured hundreds of thousands, some of them the worst of cases.

It is the only medicine of its kind that is the product of a regularly graduated physician. The only one good enough that its makers dare to print its every ingredient on its outside wrapper. There's no secrecy. It will bear examination. No alcohol and no habit-forming drugs are found in it. Some unscrupulous medicine dealers may offer you a substitute. Don't take it. Don't trifle with your health. Write to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Dr. R. V. Pierce, President, Buffalo, N. Y.,—take the advice received and be well.



CHURCH SERVICES

Special Musical Programs to Be Rendered Tomorrow by City Choirs—Notes of Different Denominations

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

The Sunday-school Christmas exercises take place tonight. All are invited.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Sunday-school 9:15 a. m. The Christmas program and treat will be given at this hour. Morning service at 10:45 o'clock, sermon, "The Prince of Peace."

Evening Service.

Voluntary.  
Anthem—"Praise the Lord"—J. Wesley Hughes.  
Reading—"The Announcement to Mary."  
Chant—"The Magnificat."  
Reading—"The Announcement to the Shepherds."  
Solo—"The Angels' Chorus"—Dr. P. G. Smoot.  
Prayer.  
Hymn 108—"To Know a Child of Hope is Born."  
Reading—"The Birth of Jesus."  
Anthem—"Sound on All Waters"—I. B. Wilson.  
Sermon.  
Hymn 809—"Ye Messengers of Christ."  
Reading—"Arise, Shiloh."  
Anthem—"Joy to the World"—Pearle.  
Reading—"The Reign of Peace."  
Chant—"Gloria in Excelsis."  
Benediction.

DR. P. G. SMOOT, Director.  
Mrs. C. E. Geisel, Organist.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH.

Amidst the soft glow of myriads of tapers and effulgent electric lights, in an atmosphere ledged with the sweet fragrance of flowers and potted plants in profusion, tastefully arranged, to the joyful strains of soulful music, the worshippers at St. Patrick's Church on Christmas morn will adore the Prince of Peace, the Divine Babe of Bethlehem.

The first service will be at 5 o'clock a. m., at which early hour, despite weather conditions, however unfavorable, great throngs of people are accustomed to worship at this Church. This year's early Christmas service at Patrick's will be no exception. The men's Societies, the Knights of Columbus and of St. John will receive the Holy Communion in a body.

From the conclusion of the early morning service until the hour of the second solemn service at 10 o'clock, there will be a continual offering of the sacrifice of the Mass.

The musical numbers at both the early and the 10 o'clock services will be marked by that peculiar Christmas sentiment that brings home to the worshiper that old, yet ever new and joyful fact—the birth of the Christ the Divine, at Bethlehem. The music will be as follows:

Processional ..... Bach  
Keris, "Have Mercy, O Lord," ..... Hamma  
Gloria in Excelsis Deo ..... Weigand  
Credo ..... Hamma  
Offertorium, Christmas Carol, Melville-Hamma  
(a) Andante—Recitative—"The Shepherds Were Watching"  
(b) Andantino—"The Angels Address the Shepherds"  
(c) Allegro—"Glory to God on High, and Peace on Earth to Men of Good Will"  
Sanctus, "Holy, Holy, Holy" ..... Connod  
Benedictus qui venit—"Blessed is He Who Cometh, Hosanna" ..... Connod  
Agnus Dei—"Lamb of God" ..... Weigand  
Communion Hymn—"Come All Ye Faithful" ..... Novello  
Recessional—"Thanksgiving Hymn—Choir and Congregation" ..... Melody Antique  
The organ will be presided over by Miss Abbie Downey; the choir will be under the directorate of Mr. W. A. Cole.

PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL.

Sunday being Christmas Day, there will be Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m., morning prayer, Holy Communion and sermon at 10:45 a. m. There will be no service in the evening. Children's service and Christmas tree Monday evening at 7. Parents and all friends of the children are cordially invited.

The canons of the Church require that all her people partake of the Lord's Supper at Easter tide, Whitetide and Christmastide. The Rector lovingly draws attention to this fact.

MISSIONARY MEETING.

The Apostolic Holiness Reunion of Kentucky is now in session at Plymouth Baptist Church in East Second street, Fifth Ward. Tuesday night, December 27th, at 7:30, will be missionary evening. Miss Beatrice Finney of Lockwood, Ky., who spent three years in South Africa, also her sister, Nannie, prospective Missionary to India, and Miss Alma E. Doering of Cleveland, Ohio, who recently returned from British East Africa, are expected to be present and give us some of their experiences. Seats free. All welcome.

THIRD STREET M. E. CHURCH

Rev. E. R. Overley, Pastor, will preach tomorrow, both morning and evening. Morning subject, "The Vital Christian;" service at 10:45; evening subject, "Salvation Through the Word;" service at 7 o'clock. Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m.; Epworth League devotional service at 6:15 p. m., led by Mrs. Ed. Miller. Christmas entertainment of the Sunday-school will be Monday evening in the Sunday-school room. The little folks will give the cantata, "Santa Claus' Surprise Party," beginning at 7 o'clock. Members, friends and the public cordially invited to all these services.

SPECIAL MUSIC

There will be special Christmas music at the Central Presbyterian Church tomorrow. At the morning service—Christmas Anthem.

Quartet, "To Victory" ..... Neidlinger  
Miss Laubley, soprano; Mrs. J. M. Walker, alto; Mr. Hall Strobe, tenor; Mr. H. M. Clark, bass.

Solo, "In Old Judea" ..... Adam Geibel  
Mrs. J. M. Walker

At evening service:  
Solo, "The Song the Angels Sang" ..... K. M. Stults  
Miss Laubley.

Snow No. 13 fell yesterday. "The Beautiful" fell in big flakes and was a pretty sight.

WOMEN'S WOES.

Mayeville Women Are Finding Relief at Last.

It does seem that women have more than a fair share of the aches and pains that afflict humanity; they must "keep up," must attend to duties in spite of constantly aching backs, or headaches, dizzy spells, bearing-down pains; they must stoop over, when to stoop means torture. They must walk and bend and work with racking pains and many aches from kidney ills. Kidneys cause more suffering than any other organ of the body. Keep the kidneys well and health is easily maintained. Read of a remedy for kidney ills that helps and cures the kidneys and is endorsed by people in this locality.

Mrs. Etta Carson, Front street, Veneburg, Ky., says:

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Announcements.

Announcements for city office, \$5; county office, \$5; state office, \$10. Cash in advance.

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We are authorized to announce Hon. JOHN J. CRAIG of Kenton county as a candidate for Railroad Commissioner from the Third Kentucky District, subject to the action of the Republicans of said District.

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2:30 a. m. 12:35 p. m.  
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\*Daily \*Except Sunday

Mr. Samuel N. True, the local Harley to tobacco handler at Dover and Mr. Thomas H. Fox were shopping in Mayeville yesterday.



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I want to send you a complete ten day's treatment entirely free to prove to you that you can cure yourself at home, easily, quickly and surely. Remember, that it will cost you nothing to give the week, or less than two cents a day. It will not interfere with your work or occupation. Just send me your name and address, tell me how you suffer if you wish, and I will send you the treatment for your case, entirely free, in plain wrapper, by return mail. I will also send you free of cost, my book—"WOMAN'S OWN MEDICAL ADVISER"—with explanatory illustrations showing why women suffer, and how they can easily cure themselves at home. Every woman should have it, and learn to think for herself. You must have an operation, you can decide for yourself. Thousands of women have cured themselves with my home remedy. It cures old and young. To Mothers of Daughters, I will explain a simple home treatment which speedily and effectually cures Leucorrhoea, Green Sickness and Painful or Irregular Menstruation in Young Ladies. Plumpness and health always results from its use.  
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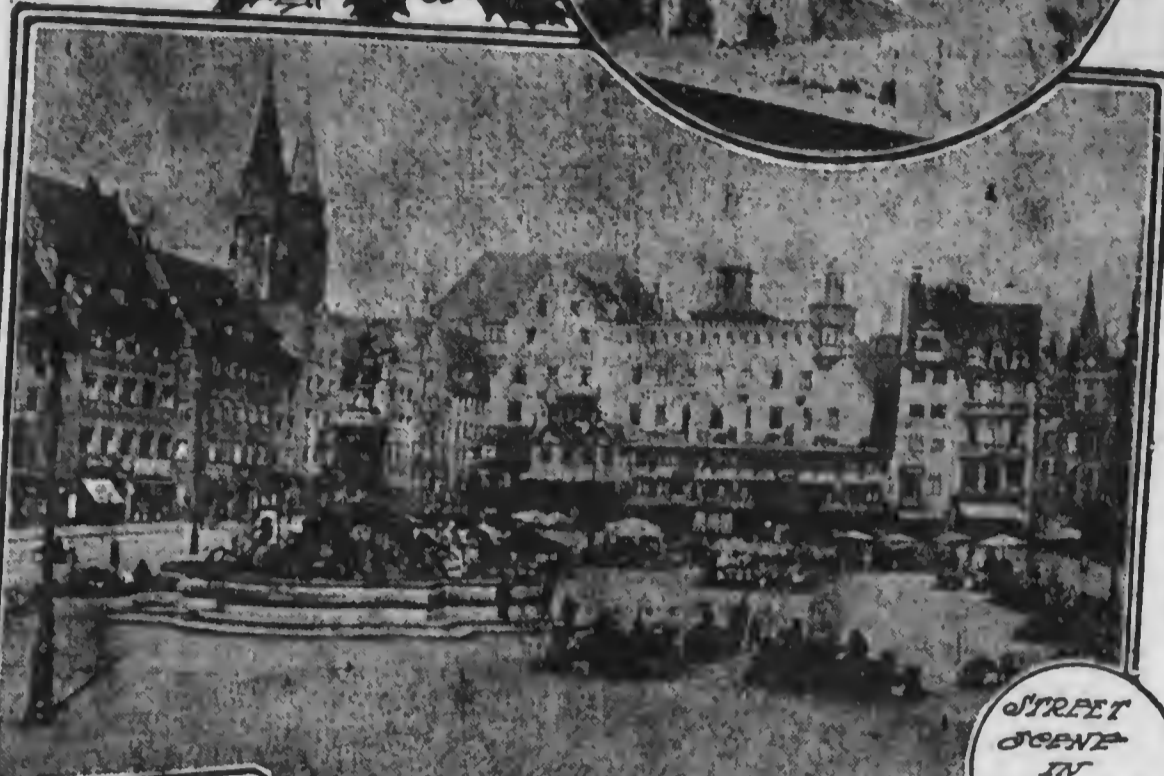
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# The Village of Always Christmas

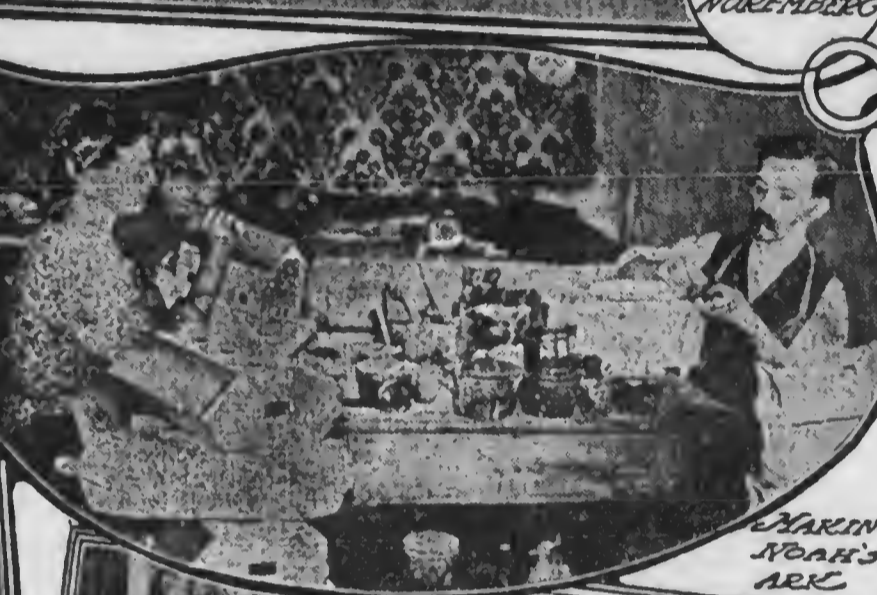
**F**ROM the rush and bustle of busy American city streets, alive at this season of the year with Christmas shoppers, back to old Nuremberg, in Germany, where the Christmas spirit lasts the year around, where Santa Claus spends his working months for the joy of the world's children—surely the step is not too great for the imagination nor its goal uninteresting as a study. Come out of your crowded streets, your people-packed stores, leave off for the time being your breathless chase after that troublesome "last present," and turn into the quiet winding streets, the irregular hilly passages dovetailed by houses older than anything in the oldest parts of the United States. House rises above house full of a history as romantic as the proudest mansion of our city streets, and yet marked by a simplicity and single-heartedness seldom present in things modern. It is here that the toys are made which you buy in your home across the sea. Here in the quietness of the unmodern, the playthings are invented and perfected for your restless, buoyant children. You read "Made in Germany" with a skeptical tilt of the eyebrow, but the fact remains that by far the



STREET SCENE IN NUREMBERG



PUTTING HAIR ON DOLL'S HEADS



MAKING DOLL'S ARK



SCENE IN TOY WORKSHOP

greater number of all the toys manufactured come from Nuremberg.

The ancient feudal city, around which cluster the grim traditions of the inquisition and the thrilling epic of the times of Charles V., has for four hundred years or more been the center of the children's fairyland. It has been and is the nucleus of Christmas happiness for the youth of every place in the Occident, and its charm is the perpetual one of joyous creation which delights in planning the amusement of little people.

In the factories they will tell you that 72,000,000 marks (\$18,000,000) worth of pleasure is sent out from Nuremberg every year, and that \$5,500,000 of this export is for the benefit of Young America. Only a few years ago all of the necessary labor for this immense production was done by hand, and much of the finishing and fine last touches are performed by special artists. Even now in the factories the old spirit of an almost consecrated enthusiasm lives and is evident in the interest of the village artisans for their craft. Not merely the reason of bread and butter goes toward the making of those marvelous walking dolls, those phenomenal speaking picture books, those thousand and one games that have called for all the imaginative as well as practical genius of these honest German peasant folk. Rather has their unique industry called for and developed in them a romance, a sensitiveness of perception which is remarkable.

Follow the lurching, worn curves of the Albrecht-Dürerstrasse, and you come to one of the many homes of this Nuremberg spirit. In a miniature red-roofed house, wedged in among a hundred squat brown butts, live two old men—brothers, of sixty-five and seventy—whose white heads are constantly bent over small circles of wood—shaping, paring, carving, painting.

All day they sit there, sometimes all night, toiling over the delicately ornamented dolls' dishes which perhaps you have bought, as a small insignificant thing, just this afternoon for your small daughter's tree.

You looked at them carelessly; they were not especially original or attractive, and you shoved them into your bag with a half-hesitating acceptance, thinking that maybe they would please a capricious Dorothy. How could you know that back in the village of Always Christmas old hands had fashioned those trivial plates and pitchers, old eyes had strained with loving anxiety over those fine traceries of columbine, and old hearts had warmed over those completed trifles with the same thrill of the master painter over his best?

But this was true. Indeed, nearly all of the simple wooden toys are constructed by hand, in some humble volkshaus which goes to make up the aggregate creative force of Santa Claus' workshop. Take the tiny sets of soldiers, the dolls' chairs and tables, the painted wooden animals whose realism is a delight to all children, actual or grown up. These are fashioned in homes, sometimes by the efforts of whole families, but most often by children themselves.

Sixteen is the age limit for child labor in the factories, but no young person is prohibited from assisting his parents at home, provided he spends the required period of time at school. So that many of those playthings which give most happiness to the children of America have been made by the children of Nuremberg. And if babies must work, what work could one find for them more appropriate or more pleasurable than

this business of toy-making. They grow up in the midst of it, all their hereditary ideas are colored by it, the history of the city speaks of it.

Inside of half a dozen blocks you have trains, up-to-date boats, electricity, motor cars, Parisian frocks, primitive carts drawn by bugs mastiffs, funny tucked-away inns near the market place full of peasant women in wide black silk aprons and snowy white caps—crumbly fountains and a castle with a secret passage. All the elements of the fascinating past and the strangely progressive present within a stone's throw of each other. The realization of all that Nuremberg has been and has undergone comes to one most vividly as one stands looking down into the Schöess well 650 feet deep, where prisoners used to come to fetch water. Underground their passage led from the dungeons to this unlit circular pool, for state prisoners were never permitted to see the light, and the hollow splash of the water which the attendant drops into the well seems to re-echo, after an interminable half-minute, the hopeless pilgrimage of those countless victims of medieval fanaticism. Such is the potency of the ended. While the vitality of the occurring emphasizes itself, not far off, in one of the dozens of toy factories, whose very machinery whirs modernity, men, women and children—that is, children over sixteen—are massed into this building, all intent on the one idea, the creation of better and newer and more wonderful toys for everyone's children, in everyone's country.

It is seldom the industrial planet can boast of a broader ambition than this of the craftsmen of Nuremberg. To bring the greatest possible amount of pleasure, legitimate and often educational pleasure, to growing, active minds is surely an aim worthy of the finest art in the world. It even seems as though the thought back of the toys should surround them with a deeper meaning as gifts this Christmastide, since the added gift—the biggest gift—lies in the patient interested invention and accomplishment of which they are the exponent.

As for the inventors, strictly speaking, their reward seems infinitesimal according to our standards. The "boss" controls ideas as well as materials of output, and it is chiefly to his profit that new inventions in toyland redound. The man or woman who first thinks of or improves upon some plaything gets a very small per cent. of the income from it. To our new world standards of commerce it seems strange that the originator should receive such scant recognition and that without grumbling.

Very, very few Nuremberg toymakers have ever grown rich over their ingeniousness. It is true that ideas as well as toys in Germany sell for double what they sold for eight years ago, even! On the other hand the price of living has gone up appreciably, and what would have seemed a large purchase price then is only moderate now.

The staff of artists employed by the Nuremberg factory boss is in itself a not inconsiderable expense, and many a quiet charity is undertaken by these men who at home would be absorbed in getting rich. In the shop of Fritz Müller are

various small kitchen gardens, carved and painted by a poor man and his sister after their regular working hours, and bought by Mr. Müller at high rates as his pet philanthropy. In this shop, now 100 years old, are seen all of the most novel of the toy-village playthings. The store was crowded with more children over thirty than under thirteen, and absorbed for hours over the clever and quaint attractions.

The doll's house of Nuremberg leaves nothing to be desired. Not only the usual rooms of a conventional menage are found in it, but conservatories with miniature orchids, fountains and watering cans; school rooms with tiny desks, a schoolmaster, very stern, with goggles and ruler, and children in aprons and carrying slates, the latter a sixteenth of an inch big; fields of flowers for the back yard and a swing for the smallest doll.

In all German art, of which toy making is by no means an insignificant department, perfection of detail has always been the salient feature. Every phase of home life is reproduced in microscopic form in German toyland, even down to the wee pairs of hand-knitted stockings and sweaters, the bob-nailed shoes and blue blouses which make up the wardrobe of the folks boy and girl.

The tourist season is a second Christmas for Nuremberg people, and they sell as many playthings in the one period as the other. An interesting point brought to light by this fact is the early differentiation of the American and European individuality, which shows itself in choice of games and pastimes. They say in the shops that an American child is invariably fascinated over the mechanical and complicated, that he finds intense interest in mastering the technicalities even of playing, while the European child likes a simpler but brilliantly colored toy, cherishing often a curious sentiment for traditional objects such as typify old world conservatism.

They are blessed with imagination, these village people, and they are not ashamed of showing their simplicity of spirit. Their souls are bound up in the heritage of centuries. The tragedies of their city's history wind about the toys they make, breathing into the wood a characteristic vitality—the vitality that comes of centuries of striving, of centuries of patient achievement.

As you sit in a swirl of red ribbon and foamy paper, "doing up" your Christmas presents, remember that many of them have come from this quaint little Village of Always Christmas. It may add to your holiday happiness to know that no pleasure which the toys may bring can be greater than the pleasure of those who made them, and that no good will of yours can outdo the quiet sincerity of purpose with which the simple people of Nuremberg have given their part toward this season of the universal gift.

## DANCING SCHOOL

"It doesn't seem to me that that's a very good report card," Bobby's father said judiciously one evening after dinner. "Your history work is very poor and your deportment mark is disgraceful."

"Nobody's good in history," Bobby explained. "Even Mamie Kelly's mark is something fierce." It's that new teacher. She don't know yet who's the good ones that she has to mark high, and besides she's sore because she caught me whispering. Hoo-est, everybody whispers in her room except Nellie Foster, and she doesn't 'cause she says she's always sorry afterward.

"I was mad that day 'cause Supio Herrick came up to our room. That's enough to make any fellow mad. How'd that girl get up to our room for keeps when everybody knows she was always a whole year behind? They'd oughter made her a mid-year instead of sticking her into our room. Billy's awful sore at it."

"You've missed the point, Bobby. It's a question of marks, not of likes and dislikes."

"Well, nobody likes her. All anybody's got to do to remember hark how stung she always was with candy and things. Why, she never'd give a feller any, unless it was Jimmy. That's 'cause Jimmy's always at her house after school. He walks home from school with her every day and that makes me tired. We can't even get him to play indoor ball or go to a nickel show on account of him having dates. You see, he goes to dancing school where she goes. It makes me tired."

"This is the third time I've had to speak about your history mark."

"I guess it'll be some better now," Bobby assured his father. "We've got to the war now and it's real interesting. Was your father in the revolution or in the civil war?"

"The civil war."

"That's what I told Jimmy and he said I was away off. He said there ain't anybody living that was in the civil war. He's terrible in history."

"He must be a comfort to you."

"Who, Jimmy? I should say not. Sam's a lot better'n Jimmy. Me and Billy and Sam are getting up a swell crowd to go on a picnic next summer. We've ast three already. We got to have it early so's to get ahead of people's going away. You can't get Sam to talk about it, he's so crazy over dancing school. Did you ever go to dancing school?"

"Long ago. Do you think Bobby, that you would be helped any if you recited your history lesson to me before you went to school in the morning?"

Bobby's face fell. "Maybe," he said, dubiously. "If I have to."

"Of course, it would be very interesting to me," his father said, with deep irony. "But if you don't think you'd enjoy it we need not go to work at it yet."

"You'll have to study it a good deal harder for me than for your teacher," his father warned him. "And you've got to remember it from day to day."

"I don't know about that," Bobby said. "I never do remember. Mamie Kelly's the only one that ever does."

"Don't you baste to be beaten by a girl?"

"She doesn't beat me in anything else. She's fierce in spelling and she ain't no good in arithmetic now that she goes to dancing school. It ain't the dancing that hurts; it's the standing around and talking with the fellers and not studying at home."

"I don't see that it makes an difference to you what Mamie Kelly does."

"It makes a lot of difference," Bobby assured him. "When she doesn't know her lesson teacher gets sore at all of us and that's the way I get low marks. Anyhow, it's one way. She says, 'Everything goes wrong this morning,' when she begins with Mamie Kelly and doesn't get anything but a lemon. Mamie Kelly doesn't mind what marks she gets. She's got a cinch."

"That depends on how you look at it."

"Well, her mother has her take music lessons and she can play some classy things. And then, of course, she goes to dancing school—everybody does. But she's almost as stingy as Susie Herrick."

"Maybe she isn't stingy when you know her better."

"Better!" Bobby cried. "Better! I don't want to know her better. That's the only reason I don't want to go to dancing school."

"Are there any reasons why you do?"

"I should say so. Buebels."

"What, for instance?"

"Well—er—I do."

"Any others?"

"Y'es, but—well, everybody goes and it's a lot of fun."

"So I've heard. How about that history?"

"Well, I'll recite to you every day. Honest, I'll have a better mark next time."

"Very well. When do you want to begin dancing school?"

"It doesn't make any difference," Bobby said with a tremble of eagerness in his voice. "But if you don't care, of course, the sooner the quicker to get your money's worth. I don't see the use of waiting till after Christmas, do you? Not that it makes any difference to me, of course, but could I begin next week?"

## THRESHING RETURNS FROM WESTERN CANADA.

They Reveal Larger Averages of Wheat and Oats Than Anticipated.

The returns from the grain fields of Western Canada as revealed by the work of the Threshers, show much larger yields than were expected as the crop was ripening. It is a little early yet to give an estimate of the crop as a whole, but individual yields selected from various points throughout Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta show that the farmers there as a rule have had reason to be thankful over the results. Excellent yields are reported from many portions of Manitoba and a large district of Saskatchewan has turned out well, while the central portion of Alberta is splendid. There will be shown at the land exposition at St. Louis a sample of the Marquis' wheat—a new variety and one that appears to be well adapted to the soil and climate of Western Canada—that yielded 53 bushels to the acre. The exhibit and statement will be supported by affidavits from the growers. This wheat weighs well, and being a hard variety will find a ready market at the highest prices obtainable for a first-class article. It is interesting to point out that a field of one hundred acres of this wheat would give its producers 5,300 bushels. Sold at 85 cents a bushel would give him \$45 an acre. Counting all the cost of interest on land at \$20 an acre, getting the land ready for crop, seed sowing, harvesting and marketing, the entire cost of production would not exceed \$8 an acre, leaving the handsome net profit of \$37 an acre. Is there any crop that would yield a better return than this, with the same labor and initial expense? Cotton fields will not do it, apple orchards with their great expense of cultivation and the risk to run from the various enemies of the fruit cannot begin to do it. While wheat is considered an exceptional case just now is presented, there is no doubt that this man's experience may be duplicated by others who care to follow his example. As has been said the growing of this wheat is but in its infancy, and wheat growing is still largely confined to other older varieties that do not yield as abundantly. Even with these we have records before us of farmers who have grown 40 bushels to the acre, others 35, some 30, and others again 25 bushels. Taking even 20 bushels, and some farmers report that amount, it is found that the returns from such a yield would be \$17 an acre. This wheat will cost to get to market, including all expenses, about \$8 an acre, and the farmers will still have a net profit of about \$9 an acre. Certainly the provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba are progressing, settlement is increasing and there is a general contentment all over the country. The social conditions are splendid, the climate is excellent, and there is every condition to make the settler satisfied. At the farming congress, held at Spokane in October, wheat shown by the Alberta Government, took the silver cup, awarded by the Governor of the State. It completely outclassed all other specimens on exhibition, and it was but an ordinary selection, hundreds of fields in Alberta and Saskatchewan being able to duplicate it. There are still available thousands of homesteads, as well as large areas of first-class land—that is being offered for sale at low prices. The agent of the Canadian Government from whom the above facts have been learned expects that the rush to Canada will next year largely exceed the numbers who have gone this year.

Tribute to Painter's Skill. One of the still life paintings by Jan van Huysen in the museum at The Hague was recently injured, but it is believed the perpetrator was neither vandal nor thief.

The picture represents a basket of fruit on which a number of insects have gathered. On a pale yellow apple, which is the centerpiece in the cluster of fruit, is a large fly, painted so true to nature, so say the officials of the gallery, that the canvas was injured by some one who endeavored to "shoo" it and brought his cane or hand too close to the canvas. "A tribute to the painter's genius," says the letter recording the fact, "for which the work had to suffer."

What Resinol Accomplishes is Truly Wonderful.

I frequently have patients who are troubled with skin eruptions, and have taken occasion to recommend Resinol, and in some cases the cures have seemed miraculous, and had I not seen them both before and after, would scarcely have believed them true. One lady told me that she had spent over \$100 in various remedies, and was cured with one 50c jar of Resinol. It is truly a wonderful cure for eczema and other itching troubles.

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Many a woman is single from choice—the choice made by a man who chose another.

No matter how long your neck may be or how sore your throat, Hamlin's Wizard Oil will cure it surely and quickly. It drives out all soreness and inflammation.

People avoid him because they are afraid of his tongue.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For all the little troubles of children, it is the best remedy. It soothes the throat, cures the cough, and keeps the child healthy.

The girl in the silk stockings never lets her skirts muddy.



Without a shadow of a doubt the largest line of gifts for men and boys in Maysville.

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Maysville's Foremost Clothiers.

PUBLIC LEDGER

MAYSVILLE, KY.

### Personal

Mr. Robert Fleming of Flemingsburg was here on business yesterday.

Mr. William Jarvis of Clark's Station was here yesterday laying in his Christmas supplies.

Miss Fannie Frazer is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Frazer of Market street.

Mrs. Pierce Calvert of Lewisburg was in town yesterday doing her Christmas shopping.

Mr. Phillip T. Barbour of Chicago arrived yesterday to spend Christmas week with his friends.

Mr. James H. Salter is home from State University, Lexington, visiting his mother, Mrs. C. L. Salter.

Editor Hiram Duley of The Times-Democrat, Flemingsburg, was a welcome visitor to our city yesterday.

Mrs. George Motch of Middleboro, Ky., is visiting her sister, Mrs. James H. Hall of East Second street.

Messrs. C. L. Talbott and A. F. Greenshaw, two prominent citizens of Richmond, Va., are visitors in the city.

Miss Laura McKinsie of Huntington, W. Va., is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. C. L. Rosenham of West Fourth street.

Mr. Cecil Sharp is home from State University, Lexington, to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams of Huntington, W. Va., arrived last evening to spend the Christmas holidays with relatives here.

Misses Minnie and Louise Sproemberg will attend the performance of "Bachelor's Baby" at the Grand, Cincinnati, next Monday.

Mr. Joseph Wood of Pittsburgh, Pa., is home to spend the merry Christmas season with his father, Dr. J. J. Wood of Forest avenue.

Dr. A. R. Quigley of Berwind, W. Va., is spending Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rosenham of West Fourth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith are in Cincinnati spending Christmas with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Norwood and Mrs. Barton Thomas.

Mr. Isaac Chasler, the urban pharmacist at J. J. Wood & Son's Drugstore, is enjoying a Christmas vacation with friends in Cincinnati.

Miss Effie Schultz, primary teacher in Maysville High School, left yesterday for Flemingsburg to spend Christmas vacation with home folks.

Dr. William Crowell, student at the Cincinnati Dental College, is home to spend his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Crowell of Walnut street.

Mr. Patrick Collins of Mill Creek, brother of City Attorney James M. Collins, was in the city yesterday buying presents to gladden the hearts of the little ones at home Christmas morn.

## Dressed Turkeys!

Chickens, Geese and Ducks. Celery and Lettuce. Oysters, wholesale or retail. Don't forget Silver-Slice Cakes for Xmas Dinner.

Quality Grocers.

J. C. CABLISH & BRO.

Mr. James E. Bell of Seven Mile, O., is the guest of the family of E. W. Bell of Germantown.

Mrs. Burdette Walton, of Lexington, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. S. D. Rigdon, at Germantown.

Mrs. T. H. Bell and little daughter of Trenton, Ohio, are spending the holidays with relatives at Germantown.

Mr. John R. Morford of Covington will arrive this evening to spend Christmas with his daughter, Mrs. J. H. Richardson, and family.

Mrs. M. B. Gibbons and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, of Columbus, Mo., are guests of her sisters, Mrs. Fickett and Mrs. Allen, and brother, Mr. A. B. McAtee.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Marshall and children of Huntington, W. Va., are spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. James H. Hall of East Second street.

Mr. Hugh D. Scott and Miss Gertrude Martin will arrive today from Cincinnati to spend Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Martin of East Second street.

OLD LIMESTONE WHISKY

75c full quart Bottled at the distillery. M. C. RUSSELL CO.

The number of Postoffices in the United States on June 30th, 1910, was 69,680.

W. F. Malas, Editor of The Manchester Signal, was fined \$50 and costs Thursday and sentenced to 30 days in jail by Judge Blair for a half-column article in The Signal criticizing Judge Blair's conduct of hoodie cases.

### AFTER GRIP

Look Out for Trouble

The after-effects of the Grip are apt to be serious but a normal healthy condition may be restored in a surprisingly short time by Vinol. Watertown, Wis.—"After a severe attack of the Grippe my system was in a very weakened, nervous and run-down condition. I began taking Vinol with the very best results and in a short time I began to feel like an entirely different person and I am better and stronger than I have been for years." Adelaide Gamm. (We guarantee this testimonial to be genuine.)

We have never sold in our store such a valuable strength creator and health restorer for the convalescent, the weak and run-down as Vinol, and we ask people in this vicinity to try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that their money will be returned if it does not do all we claim for it. John C. Pecor, Druggist, Maysville, Ky.

## WHAT WILL YOU GIVE ?

What will you give for Christmas? Gifts you must make, and there's wondrous advantage in giving gifts sure of appreciation. At the Frederick Pharmacy you can get the very present you want at the price you want to pay. Here are some suggestions:

Toilet Cases, Manicure Sets, Xmas Stationery, Shaving Sets, Perfumes.

Fancy Candy, Military Sets, Fountain Pens, Hair Brushes, Hand-Painted China.

Merscham Pipes, French Briars, in case and out, Ladies' Hand Bags.

### Everything is New

Better goods we never had before. Make it a point to come now.

## Frederick Pharmacy,

Maysville's Original Cut-Rate Drugstore,

'Phone 161.

West Second Street.

Three Saving Graces Guaranteed by Underfeed Furnaces and Boilers

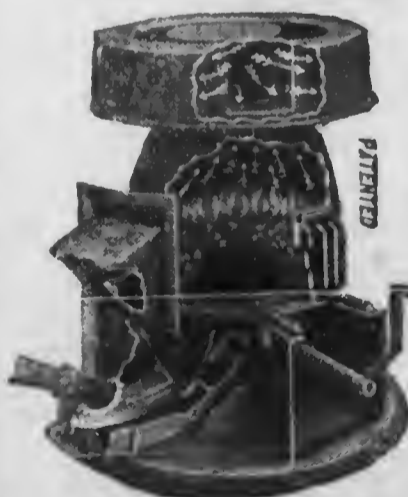
MONEY TIME LABOR

The Underfeed Heating Systems have enabled thousands of users in all parts of Uncle Sam's broad domain to

SAVE 1/2 TO 2/3 OF COAL BILLS

This is well worth anybody's careful attention in these days when the high cost of living is such an important factor.

THE PECK-WILLIAMSON UNDERFEED FURNACES AND BOILERS



Effecting a great saving because they are the only heating plants which will burn the cheapest grades of coal successfully. Low-priced slack will yield as much clean, even heat in the Underfeed as costliest anthracite which topside requires. The Underfeed Coal Burning Way is endorsed by all great municipalities as Best for Health. It saves at every point because smoke and gases are consumed and turned into heat units. Ashes are few and the apparatus is easy to manage and operate. Used and endorsed by many Maysville citizens. Write for free booklets and facsimile testimonials today and learn how you can secure more clean, even heat far less money.

THE PECK-WILLIAMSON CO., CINCINNATI, OHIO.

## Laxative

## Phospho Quinine

Greatly superior to sulphate quinine for colds, coughs, grip, neuralgia and headaches resulting from colds. Cures quicker and safer than other so-called grip cures. Money refunded if not satisfied after using. Sold only by

JOHN C. PECOR

Maysville, Ky.

People's Column

No Charge!

Advertisements under the headings of "Help Wanted," "Situations Wanted," "Lost" and "Found," and not exceeding three lines in length, are FREE to all.

No Business Advertisements inserted without pay.

If answers fail to come the first time, we invite as many repetitions as are necessary to secure what you desire for. We wish advertisers to feel that they are not imposing on us by using our free columns.

Advertisements must furnish copy, which can be left at the office or sent by mail.

THE PUBLIC LEDGER, No. 10 East Third Street.

### Wanted.

Advertisements under this heading, not exceeding two lines, 10 cents each insertion, or 50 cents a week.

WANTED—SEWING—To do. Apply at 210 January street. dec20 1w

WANTED—SEWING—Will also sew by the day. Room 21, St. James Hotel, East Front street. dec20 1w

WANTED—STEADY POSITION—By a married man who is an experienced salesman and can give good references; positively sober and industrious. For particulars write Box 775, Maysville, Ky. dec18 1w

WANTED—I want to invest several hundred dollars with services in good paying office, store or other business in Maysville. Address CHARLES MARLOWE, P. O. Box 454, Maysville, Ky. dec18 1w

WANTED—SERVANT—A good reliable servant. Apply to Mrs. J. H. DODSON. dec18 1w

### For Sale

Advertisements under this heading, not exceeding two lines, 10 cents each insertion, or 50 cents a week.

FOR SALE—PIANO—Haines Upright Piano, good as new; will be sold as a bargain. Inquire of PHILIP CLARK, 468 West Second street. dec20 1w

FOR SALE—HOUSE—Of seven rooms, two halls and bath room. Apply to J. J. LINCOLN, 812 East Second street. dec20 1w

FOR SALE—HOUSE—Of six rooms, for \$1,500. at No 84 East Second street. Apply to M. J. VICKROY, R. D. No. 1. dec18 2w

FOR SALE—A seven-room frame dwelling house, with barn, stable and shed; also double frame house in yard. All the improvements. Two acres of ground, more or less, all in the center of Washington, this county. Will sell at a great bargain. Apply to JOHN RYAN, 309 East Fourth street, Maysville, Ky. dec18 1w

FOR SALE—TOBACCO STICKS—From 6,000 to 10,000 hand-split, hard wood, tobacco sticks. Apply to B. H. ANDERSON, M.E.L. BOERNE, KY.

### Lost.

Advertisements under this heading, not exceeding two lines, 10 cents each insertion, or 50 cents a week.

LOST—PACKAGE—Containing stamped green burlap pillow cover. Please return to the Art Store. dec20 1w

LOST—ROBE AND GUN APRON—Between Germantown and this city. Return to this office. dec19 1w

LOST—POCKETBOOK—In the Sixth Ward, containing from \$11 to \$12 in 11. Please return to S. A. FORMAN, 125 Prospect street, and receive reward. dec19 1w

LOST—PACKAGE—Saturday night between Pastime Theater and J. J. WOODS' Drugstore, package containing two ladies' collars. Return to Central Hotel. LEONA JORDAN. dec19 1w

LOST—CANADIAN PIN—Sunday, between Wall street and Postoffice. Please return to Miss ROSE LYNCH, at D Hunt & Son's. 16 1w

LOST—GOLD WATCH FOB—With initials "G. E. W." Please return to this office and receive reward. dec18 1w

### Found.

Advertisements under this heading, not exceeding two lines, 10 cents each insertion, or 50 cents a week.

FOUND—BELT BUCKLE—Call at JOHN O'KEEFE'S. dec19 1w

### Special Request.

In answering advertisements appearing in the columns of this paper, or when buying goods from a merchant whose advertisement appears in this paper, our readers are especially requested to state that they saw the advertisement in The Public Ledger. This will cost you nothing, and it will be gratefully appreciated by both the advertiser and the Editor.

## Useful Holiday PRESENTS

FOR HIM.  
Musters, Handkerchiefs, Socks in lovely boxes, Silk Socks at 50c and \$1. Necktie Box, Collar and Cuff Boxes, Shaving Mirror, Shaving Set, Initial Handkerchiefs, Silk Handkerchiefs.

FOR HER.  
Lovely Neckwear in holiday boxes, Dainty Handkerchiefs, Lovely Silk Hosiery, Hat Pins of quality, Scarfs in all colors, Silver Spangled Scarfs, Kid Gloves, Kid Glove Orders in lovely boxes.

Embroidered Scarfs and Table Covers in great variety, Battenberg Work of all kinds and size, Shirtwaist Patterns in all weights, qualities and prices. Largest stock of Ribbons ever shown in Maysville.

OF COURSE, YOUR KID GLOVES CAME FROM HOEFLICH'S.

Best in quality, largest assortment. Towels, Table Linens, Napkins, Rugs, Curtains, Blankets, Comforts and other household goods in great variety, always useful and most acceptable of presents.

ROBERT L. HOEFLICH, 211 and 213 Market Street.

Sole Agent

Bonolis Skirts, Pony Stockings, American Lady Corsets, Standard Patterns.

The Big 4.

## FAMOUS PAINTINGS of FAMOUS ARTISTS

Namely, "Madonna," "The Bridal Song," "Sweet Melody," "A Fall Morning," "Companions," "Storm at Sea" and portrait of Rembrandt. The pictures are framed, ready for hanging, in a beautifully ornamented, artistic Roman gold frame. Positively the best we have ever offered you. PICTURE FRAMING A SPECIALTY.

CRANE & SHAFER,

COX BUILDING.

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Designated Depository for the U. S. Treasury, State of Kentucky and Mason County.

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Conservative. Courteous. Safe.

## WHAT WILL WE GET FOR THE MEN?

Is a question that is often asked at this season. We know the difficulty presented by this problem and have made special preparations to help you solve it satisfactorily. It seems to be quite clear that the best present you can give him is to give him something he wants. The best place to get it is to get it where he gets what he wants. This store is that sort of a place, full of things a man wants, big things, such as Suits and Overcoats; small things, such as Shoes, Hats, Caps, Sweater Coats, Gloves, Shirts, Neckwear bought especially for the Xmas trade, Hosiery, Collars, Cuff Buttons and Scarf Pins. We can hardly include in so small a space all the good things we have and our prices are right. Anything you get here that isn't satisfactory may be returned.

J. Wesley Lee,

The Good Clothes Man.

N. E. Corner Market and Second Streets.

EDWIN MATTHEWS DENTIST.

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17 East Second St., MAYSVILLE, KY.

## We Are Very Heavily Stocked on XMAS FOOTWEAR

And have only three more days to sell them. You will know we mean to sell every pair when you see the prices we have made.

Ladies' Fur-Trimmed Leather-Sole Slippers A Pair 39c

Men's Fancy, Tan, Black, Xmas Slippers A Pair 39c

Ladies' Very Fine Xmas Slippers In Gray, Black, White, Red and Tan, Your Choice 99c

Extra Special in Ladies' Patent Leather, Velvet Top, Hi Button Shoes, worth \$3.50, Xmas price, \$1.99. Jockey Extra Hi Button Shoes, newest thing out in Children's Footwear. Rubbers and Felts retailing at wholesale prices. A beautiful 1911 Art Calendar free at

DAN COHEN'S.

W. H. MEANS, MANAGER.